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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

CASTINE, ME

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY, 1922



TOWN OFFICERS.

1921-1922.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor:
Arthur W. Patterson, J. Walter Weeks, James Hatch.

Treasurer,
William A. Walker.

Collector of Taxes,
Willis A. Ricker.

Superintending School Committee:
William D. Hall, Boyd Bartlett, Everett E. Leach.

Superintendent of Schools,
D. W. Rollins.

Engineers of Fire Department:
J. C. M. Gardner, Chief;
Harry Macomber, 1st Ass't; Horace Leach, 2d Ass't.

Fire Inspector,
J. C. M. Gardner.

Trustees of Witherle Memorial Library:
Dr. E. E. Philbrook, Chairman;
Miss Amy C. Witherle, Mrs. Lillian C. Sargent, Wm A. Walker,
Arthur W. Patterson.
Librarian,
Miss Katherine Davenport.

Town Clerk,
William J. Patterson.

Board of Health:
Dr. H. S. Babcock, Charles R. Perkins, J. C. M. Gardner.
Dr. H. S. Babcock, Health Officer and School Physician.

Trustees of Historical Room:
Mrs. Boyd Bartlett, Amy Witherle, Mrs. Wm. Hooke,
A. C. Coombs, C. W. Noyes.

Committee on Public Grounds:
Pearl Danforth, Mrs. Wm. Hooke.

Auditor,
Charles E. McCluskey.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

VALUATION.

Real estate, resident	\$288,200 00
Real estate, non-resident	211,525 00
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Total real estate	\$499,725 00
Personal estate, resident	\$85,833 00
Personal estate, non-resident	19,100 00
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Total personal estate	104,933 00
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Grand total amount	\$604,658 00
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Total value of land, \$205,370.00.	
Total value of buildings, \$294,355.00.	

TAXABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Horses and mules, 54	\$5,025 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years, 2	70 00
Cows, 131	4,585 00
Three-year-olds, 8	240 00
Two-years-olds, 17	410 00
Three shares railroad stock	525 00
Bonds	600 00
47 shares bank stock	4,670 00
13 shares trust company stock	1,225 00
Money at interest	22,203 00
Stock in trade	13,579 00
Shipping, 119 tons	581 00
45 small boats	7,015 00
52 carriages	1,835 00
68 automobiles	20,800 00
84 musical instruments	9,085 00
Furniture	9,225 00
Other property, including machinery	3,260 00
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Total	\$104,933 00
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EXEMPT LIVESTOCK.

30 one-year-olds	\$359 00
60 sheep	273 00
18 swine ..	135 00
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	\$767 00
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PURPOSES FOR WHICH TAXES WERE ASSESSED.

State tax	\$3,420 90
County tax	923 73
Free high school	3,100 00
Common schools	1,500 00
Insurance, apparatus, supplies	450 00
Schoolhouse repairs	875 00
Text-books	200 00
Fire department	150 00
Current expenses	1,000 00
Support of poor	600 00
Hydrants	900 00
Highways	2,000 00
Sidewalks,	50 00
Sewer (Hall and Wardwell)	300 00
Removal of snow	150 00
Street lights	800 00
Memorial day	75 00
Library maintenance	425 00
Library increase	78 05
Payment of notes	336 14
Interest	75 00
Fire alarm	30 00
Public grounds	500 00
Emerson hall	800 00
Deficiencies	598 65
Road patrol	475 00
Repayment to Hawes fund	500 00
State-aid highway	533 00
Resurface Water street	500 00
Castine general hospital	250 00
Canning club	20 00
Historical committee	75 00
Brophy drain	200 00

School physician	30 00
Overlay	480 21

\$22,400 68

Assessed on 211 polls at \$3	\$ 633 00
on property at \$36 per \$1,000	21,767 68

\$22,400 68

12 polls not taxed, account age and military service.

TAXES ABATED.

Mabel Appleton, overvaluation	\$7 20
Walter Jordan, pays in Rhode Island	3 00
Maxwell Leach, overvaluation	7 20
Richard Morgrage, pays in Massachusetts	3 00
H D Crie, pays in Rockland	3 00
Caroline Davies Est, overvaluation	6 30
W F Hooke, no boat	1 80
Geo Morey heirs, overvaluation	3 90
Noah Hooper, overvaluation	5 40
George McKinnon, no cow	1 20

Total	\$42 06
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REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

1920.

Tax on automobile, F L Smith	\$21.00
Interest	2 10
Expenses of collection	20 29
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	\$43 39
Collected and paid W A Walker, treasurer	<u>\$43 39</u>

1921.

Taxes committed	\$22,400 68
Supplementary taxes	42 60
Interest collected	62 45
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	\$22,505 73
Abatements\$42 06
Due from A H Mayo	18 00
Paid W A Walker, treasurer	<u>22,445 67</u>
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	\$22,505 73
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	W. A. Ricker, Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Owing to absence from town, the town treasurer was not able to submit his report in time to be printed in the town report, but has arranged to make his report at the town meeting.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

EXPENDITURES.

Mrs E W Howard, milk, \$25.08; nursing and care, \$84; funeral expenses, \$92; sexton, \$10	\$211 08
Bert Grindle, groceries, \$43.56; rent, \$45.50; water, \$13; shoes, rubbers and leggings, \$18.40; fuel, \$6; clothing, \$1.25	129 84
Anna and Gertrude Grindle, groceries and supplies, \$143.91; milk, \$22.48; rent, \$45.50; water, \$13; clothing, \$2.70; fuel, \$86; Dr H S Babcock, \$9	322 59
Pernel Colson, groceries, \$45.77; water, \$3.40; rent, \$62.50	111 67
Total expended	<u>\$775 18</u>

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$404 11
Appropriated	600 00
Cash from Bert Grindle (repayment for fuel)	6 00
	<u>\$1,010 11</u>
Balance to new account	<u>\$234 93</u>

IN ACCOUNT WITH THE STATE OF MAINE.

Due from State, 1920-21	\$442 99
Paid expenses Chamberlain family	397 48
	<u>\$840 47</u>
Received from State	373 82
Bal. due from State, end fiscal year	<u>\$466 65</u>

Whole number persons assisted during year, 17.

Children under 16, 9.

Men from 17 to 60, 2.

Women from 17 to 60, 5.

Women over 60, 1.

Paupers having settlement in town, 14.

Paupers not having settlement (State paupers), 3.

Family groups of poor assisted, 5.

CURRENT EXPENSE.

EXPENDITURES.

Paid overdraw	\$207 61
D W Rollins, salary as superintendent	364 55
D W Rollins, postage and telephone	7 57
J W Weeks, expenses Sarah Grindle, to State hospital	12 80
Central Me Power Co, light at Castine Bay Co. factory	12 00
W P Hooper, team hire	8 50
Paul Wescott, grass fire	2 00
C E McCluskey, auditor, 1920-21	20 00
Boyd Bartlett, bonds of treasurer and collector..	27 50
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	21 70
Portland Directory Co, supplies and Me. Register	9 00
Bessie M Patterson, writing up assessors' book..	15 00
James Norton, trucking and police	7 00
Hancock Co Pub Co, town reports.....	141 13
A W Patterson, legal services	5 00
Geo T Coombs, supplies	1 28
Augustus Swanson, storing road machines	5 00
James Hatch, repairs on silent policeman	75
A W Patterson, State assessors' meeting, Aug 12	4 00
Wm Mayo, rent of public dump	25 00
S W Ricker, car to State assessors' meeting	20 00
H B Thombs, labor	75
A M Devereux, services and expenses	25 00
F W Vogell, freight on weights and measures ...	2 29
Elmer Armstrong, labor	1 32
J M Dennett, landing for Mrs. Harris	10 00
J M Dennett, clearing up after July 4	2 50
A W Patterson, assessors' convention at Augusta	21 82
W H Hooper, trucking	75
W A Ricker, printing	3 50
Lucy M Adams, storage	1 50
J W Weeks, special registration	3 50
W E Ordway, do	3 50
A W Patterson, do	3 50
H S Babcock, birth certificates	50
M A Wardwell, birth and death certificates	1 25
Otis Parker, care town clock	40 00
Harry Macomber, police	3 50
Wm Steele, police	5 25

F W Vogell, police	11 50
Frank Grindle, police	3 50
Rodney Gray, police and clearing up	4 00
A G Thombs, truant officer	1 50
W J Patterson, special election September	3 50
J C M Gardner, do	3 50
D W Rollins, do	3 50
C S Chester, do	3 50
Boyd Bartlett, do	3 50
A C Coombs, post'g warrants, notifying officials, etc	11 88
A W Patterson, salary first selectman	275 00
A W Patterson, postage, telephone and supplies..	18 00
J W Weeks, salary second selectman	75 00
James Hatch, salary third selectman	75 00
W J Patterson, salary town clerk	50 00
W A Ricker, salary tax coll, postage and supplies	212 85
W A Walker, salary treasurer, and postage	80 40
Taxes abated	42 06
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Total of expenditures	\$1,929 51

RECEIPTS.

Raised for overdraw	\$ 207 61
Appropriated	1,000 00
Overlay	480 21
R R & Tel tax	47 62
S W Cash	75 00
Fred Smith	22 39
Burial of soldier (W Ward) from State	35 00
Sewer entrance, Catholic chapel	10 00
Wm Mayo, weir permits	10 00
L Webster, sale of old wheels	5 00
A K Dodge, supplementary tax	1 80
Leon Littlefield, do	3 60
Leighton Coombs, do	3 60
Ross Conner, do	3 00
Dwight Staples, do	3 00
Mrs Cope, do	3 60
Guarddie McIntyre, do	3 60
Joseph Clark, do	3 00
Max Wardwell, do	3 00
Arthur B Conner, do	3 00
B B Stover, do	5 40
Merle Conner, do	3 00

James Peasley, do	3 00
Total of receipts	1,935 43
Balance to new account	\$5 92

NOTE ACCOUNT.

Principal.

Appropriated	\$ 336 14
Temporary loan	3,180 00
	<u>\$3,516 14</u>
Paid temporary loan	\$3,180 00
City Nat Bank, note due Jan 19, '22	136 14
City Nat Bank, note due May 15, '21	200 00
	<u>\$3,516 14</u>

Interest.

Balance from 1920-21	\$16 37
Appropriated	75 00
From City Nat Bank	59 85
From Waldo Trust Co	9 10
Interest on taxes	62 45
	<u>\$222 77</u>
Pd interest on temporary loan ...	\$58 00
interest on old sidewalk loan ..	3 40
int on new cement walk loan...	80 50
Hawes fund	53 12
trustees school fund	50 00
	<u>245 02</u>
Overdrawn	<u>\$22 25</u>

The amount received from interest on taxes was smaller than usual, and this fact, and an underestimate of appropriation, account for the overdraft. For this account, \$100 should be raised next year.

NOTES OUTSTANDING MARCH 1, 1922.

Date May 15, 1920; amount, \$200; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account cement walks; payee, City Nat. bank; date due, May 15, 1922.
 Date, May 15, 1920; amount, \$200; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account, cement walks; payee, City Nat. bank; date due, May 15, 1923.
 Date, May 15, 1920; amount, \$200; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account, cement walks; payee, City Nat. bank; date due, May 15, 1924.
 Date, May 15, 1920; amount, \$200; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account cement walks; payee, City Nat. bank; date due, May 15, 1925.
 Date, June 1, 1920, amount, \$200; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account cement walks; payee, library trustees; date due, June 1, 1926.
 Date, June 1, 1920; amount, \$200; interest $5\frac{3}{4}$; account, cement walks; payee, library trustees; date due, June 1, 1927.
 Date, June 1, 1920; amount, \$100; interest, $5\frac{3}{4}$; account cement walks; payee, library trustees; date due, June 1, 1928.
 Date, October 6, 1921; amount, \$300; interest, 6; account, grading lower Main street; payee, Waldo Trust Co; date due, October 6, 1922.

HAWES TRUST FUND.

Principal.

Deposited in Bangor savings bank	\$635 67
Deposited in Penobscot savings bank	586 72
Due from town	827 61
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	\$2,050 00

Interest.

Received from town	\$53 12
Bangor savings bank	12 23
Penobscot savings bank	10 22
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\$75 57.

EXPENDITURES.

Pd Miss Fannie McLaughlin	\$18 89
Mrs Geo Devereux	18 89
Mrs Sylvester Morey	18 89
Mrs Frank Bowden	18 89
Postage	01
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\$75 57

MEMORIAL DAY.

Raised by town	\$75 00
Pd Charles Patterson, commander	75 00
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HYDRANT RENTAL.

Raised by town	\$900 00
Paid Castine Water Co	900 00
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SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL.

Appropriated	\$250 00
Balance unexpended	250 00
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BROPHY DRAIN.

Appropriated	\$200 00
Balance unexpended	200 00
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

Appropriated	\$30 00
Paid H S Babcock, M D	30 00
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HOSPITAL FUND.

Appropriated	\$250 00
Pd H S Babcock, M D, electric sterilizer	249 00
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Balance to new account	\$1 00
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WITHERLE MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

Maintenance.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 27 98
Appropriated	425 00
Interest C J Abbott fund	50 00
Sale of glass, H Echenagucia	5 00
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	\$507 98
Paid orders library trustees	484 82
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Balance	\$23 16

Items of expenditure:

Central Me Pow Co, light	\$15 40
Castine Water Co	13 00
George Perkins, wood	22 00
Kate Davenport	150 00
Horace Bowden, janitor	125 00
Horace Bowden, broom	75
Horace Bowden, 5 extra Mondays	2 50
Library Bureau, equipment	16 28
E E Philbrook, keys	1 75
A W Clark, supplies	2 67
J M Dennett, supplies	1 10
Castine Coal Co	17 06
W H Hooper, trucking	75
J H Norton, trucking	1 25
Sewell Perkins, painting	93 26
J C M Gardner, masonry and plastering	10 00
H B Thombs, plumbing	12 05

Increase.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 2 59
Appropriated	78 05
From State of Maine	42 86
From special account	3 15
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	\$126 65

Paid W A Ricker, books	\$52 40
W A Ricker, books	65 64
W A Ricker, books	8 61
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\$126 65

EMERSON HALL.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$174 85
Appropriated	800 00
Received for rent	325 65
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	\$1,300 50

EXPENDITURES.

Central Maine Power Co, light ..	\$47 12	
Castine Water Co, water	26 00	
Coll internal revenue, war tax on theatre	50 00	
N E Telephone Co	55	
F W Bowden estate (old bill from 1916)	8 80	
J C M Gardner, janitor	125 00	
setting glass	3 90	
supplies	6 05	
repairing chimneys	37 47	
irons for seats ..	75	
sawing wood.. ..	10 00	
postage	50	
plastering	3 51	
Geo Coombs, bulbs and hardware..	15 51	
W H Hooper, 30 M asbestos shingles	293 70	
wood, supplies and trucking	27 55	
J W Weeks, labor (shingling and interior repair)	299 83	
J Hatch, labor	1 75	
R S Wardwell, supplies	24	
C S Chester, supplies	50	
Alva Clement, labor	28 00	
Wm J Patterson, labor	24 50	
F A Perkins, labor and ladder ...	5 00	
C R Perkins, copper and supplies ..	34 00	
Parker & Wescott, supplies	2 12	
W A Ricker, supplies	2 80	
Castine Coal Co, coal	16 75	
H B Thombs, plumbing	9 31	
T E Hale, wood	14 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,095 21
Balance to new account		<hr/>
		\$205 29

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 43 81
Appropriated	150 00
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	\$193 81

EXPENDITURES.

Central Maine Power Co, light	\$12 00	
Ray Howard, labor	14 94	
W E Bevan, labor	3 50	
Boyd Bartlett, insurance	20 40	
Geo T Coombs, supplies	22	
H K Barnes Co, hose	93 00	
W H Hooper, trucking and supplies	13 07	
Porter Hackett, labor	3 50	
R A Spurling, labor	1 75	
J C M Gardner, labor, watching fire,	22 00	
J C M Gardner, salary, fire inspector	25 00	
Otis Parker, care of fire alarm	25 00	
Calvert Harmon, labor	3 50	
Stanley Sawyer, labor	3 94	
Harry Macomber, labor	11 90	
Tom Gross, labor	3 50	
Wm Steele, labor, watching fire ...	15 75	
F W Vogell, labor	3 54	
R S Wardwell, salt	1 00	
A W Clark, supplies	75	
Parker & Wescott, supplies	50	
	<hr/>	\$278 76
Overdrawn		<hr/>
		\$84 95
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CANNING CLUB.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 1 40
Appropriated	20 00
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	\$21 40

EXPENDITURES.

Joseph Dennett, car to Ellsworth ..	\$10 00	
Austin Bridges, car to Ellsworth ..	10 00	
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		\$20 00
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Balance to new account		\$1 40
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HISTORICAL MAINTENANCE.

Appropriated	\$75 00
Insurance on historical tablet burned	15 00
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	\$90 00

EXPENDITURES.

W H Hooper, team for distributing tablets	\$ 8 50	
Harry Macomber, labor	17 78	
Mrs Boyd Bartlett, wreath for C W Noyes, member of historical com and donor of tablets	10 50	
A C Coombs, labor	5 25	
Sewell Perkins, painting	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$54 03
Balance to new account		<hr/> \$35 97 <hr/>

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS..

	Recd	Int	Int Available	Balance
Josiah S Hatch	\$2 33		\$8 66	\$83 66
Uriah Bowden	2 33		97	50 97
James Owen	2 33		08	50 08
George W Perkins	2 83		11 43	111 43
Samuel Adams, jr	2 33		18 39	118 39
Margaret J Abbott	2 33		11 18	111 18
Isadore Cornwallis	2 33		82 67	282 67
Orinda Benson	2 33		9 51	*109 51
Stover (Nancy Irish)	2 33		19 56	169 56

* Plus one year's interest.

Funds on Which No Interest was Drawn.

Mary A Gilmore, balance \$100, plus interest from April 26, 1919	\$110 40
Samuel Hooper, balance \$105.85, plus interest from Feb 1, 1917	128 91
Cyrus M Leach, balance \$100, plus interest from April 6, 1921	102 33
Annie I Gardner, balance \$100, plus interest from Oct 4, 1921	100 33

Interest received, \$21.47. Paid W H Bevan, sexton, \$21.47.

PUBLIC GROUNDS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 37 56
Appropriated	500 00
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	\$537 56

EXPENDITURES.

Bert Grindle,	\$10 32	Bert Grindle,	10 30
T E Hale,	15 34	Stanley Sawyer,	10 12
Pernel Colson,	12 30	Donald Hutchins,	26 08
W H Hooper,	8 22	Bert Grindle,	10 56
George T Coombs,	32	W H Bevan,	24 50
Littleton Webster,	1 00	Bert Grindle,	6 38
Castine Water Co,	10 00	Bert Grindle,	9 00
Bert Grindle,	14 93	Arthur Wardwell,	7 00
Pernel Colson,	2 64	Cecil Achorn,	4 91
John Sawyer,	11 16	W H Hooper,	61
W H Hooper,	22 53	Mathews Bros,	10 00
Littleton Webster	15 10	W H Bevan,	3 50
James Hatch,	19 25		
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			\$266 07
Balance to new account			\$271 49
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HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND DRAINS.

RECEIPTS.

Raised for overdraft	\$184 88
Appropriated	2,000 00
From Water St fence acct, bal (by vote)	22 01
Perkins St resurface bal	3 47
Patterson drain acct bal	1 62
Green St drain acct bal	9 14
Battle Ave resurface bal	58
Court St resurface bal	21 09
Sea St resurface acct bal	6 75
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	\$2,249 54

EXPENDITURES.

John Vogell frgt, cul,	6 80	C M Conant Co, road	
N E M Culvert Co, cul,	94 08	mach parts, blade,	25 77
J C M Gardner,	1 32	F A Perkins,	7 24
Paid overdraft,	\$184 88	Fred Dunton,	6 00
Warren E Bevan,	12 41	C R Perkins,	5 00
W H Hooper,	3 08	A W Clark,	22 47
Dwight Perkins,	4 26	W H Bevan,	3 40

Charles Bevan,	2 20	C M Conant Co, cul,	51 94
Henry Grindle,	25 38	G A Benjamin,	10 05
Frank Morgrage,	3 50	James Hatch, frt, cul,	2 27
H B Thombs,	7 50	George W Bowden,	19 72
Noyes & Nutter,	1 87	John Sawyer,	21 00
G T Coombs,	1 04	J M Dennett,	2 68
Colby Gray,	1 50	Leander Perkins,	29 75
James Hatch,	2 63	Parker & Wescott,	20
G T Coombs,	72	Roland B Wardwell,	5 79
F W Vogell,	5 69	James Hatch,	5 75
J C M Gardner,	2 10	Colby Gray,	5 81
W H Hooper, sup,	141 33	G T Coombs,	56
Grover C Witham,	26 00	A W Clark,	1 87
Owen Webster,	3 00	George M Perkins, sal,	
James Hatch,	5 25	lumber and disburse-	
Frank Witham,	44	ments,	1,024 78
H P Lowell,	2 00	Alva Clement, sal and	
W H Bevan,	46 24	disbursements,	388 30
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			\$2.225 57

Balance to new account \$23 97

ROAD PATROL.

RECEIPTS.

Raised for overdraft	\$ 2 90
Appropriated	475 00
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	\$477 90

EXPENDITURES.

Pd State highway commission:		
For patrol maintenance	\$399 00	
For unimproved State-aid roads.	50 00	
Overdraft	2 90	
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		\$451 90
Balance to new account		<u>\$26 00</u>

STREET LIGHTS.

Appropriated	\$800 00
Paid Central Maine Power Co	800 00
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BALANCE OVER FROM 1920-21.

Emerson school fence (appropriation never used)	\$20 00
Balance from cement walks	26 28
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SIDEWALK REPAIRS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$270 04
Appropriated	50 00
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	\$320 04

EXPENDITURES.

George Bowden,	\$ 1 75	Henry Grindle,	14 44
Russell Sawyer,	1 32	John Sawyer,	21 34
James Hatch,	52 58	Warren P Hooper,	7 50
C F Clarke,	14 55	James Norton,	1 00
Colby Gray,	4 50	T E Hale,	21 92
Peter Hutchins,	3 08	F W Vogell,	3 91
R S Wardwell,	2 97	Bert Grindle,	17 50
G T Coombs,	1 44	A W Clark,	1 80
Leander Perkins,	15 75	J Walter Weeks,	6 00
Leslie Scammon,	14 00	George M Perkins,	47 70
Littleton Webster,	19 94	Alva Clement,	39 18
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			\$314 17

Balance to new account	\$5 87
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SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR GRADING LOWER MAIN STREET.

RECEIPTS.

Loan from Waldo Trust Co. (authorized special town meeting)	\$300 00
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EXPENDITURES.

George M Perkins,	\$87 75	Pernel Colson,	39 97
Alva Clement,	38 95	Littleton Webster,	4 50
Bert Grindle,	48 20	John Sawyer,	3 50
W H Hooper,	59 89	George T Coombs,	35
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			\$283 11

Balance to new account	\$16 89
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SNOW ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$138 84
Credit by overpayment	3 00
Appropriation	150 00
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	\$291 84

EXPENDITURES.

George M Perkins,	\$ 4 18	W H Macleod, repairs	
Paul Wescott,	1 75	on plow,	7 25
Donald Hutchins,	2 41	James R Hale,	28 22
W H Bevan,	11 75	T E Hale,	52 37
Rodney Gray,	4 38	George M Perkins,	5 25
Warren Bevan,	3 96	Leander Perkins,	3 06
Chas A Bevan, repairs		Frank W Richardson,	2 86
on plow,	13 58	George Richardson,	2 86
W H Bevan,	1 75		
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			\$145 63
Balance to new account			\$146 21
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STATE-AID ROAD.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriated	\$533 00
From State	708 70
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	\$1,241 70

EXPENDITURES.

Jas Hatch, foreman,	\$120 66	Littleton Webster,	10 97
Leslie Scammon,	68 47	J Wesley Bowden,	24 00
F H Butler,	51 30	Pernel Colson,	2 54
Wm Gray,	83 07	Roland B Wardwell,	46 02
D F Hutchins,	49 01	W P Hooper,	86 40
W H Bevan,	153 04	W H Hooper,	29 94
Grover Witham,	148 87	C M Conant Co,	14 28
H P Dodge,	41 92	John Sawyer,	8 52
Colby Gray,	89 69	H P Lowell,	13 42
T E Hale,	80 92	Overdraft of 1920-21,	
A W Clark,	31 91	for which no amount	
C V Perkins,	17 50	raised,	64 52
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			\$1,226 97
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Balance to new account			\$14 73
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HALL AND WARDWELL SEWER.

RECEIPTS.

Balance appropriated 1920	\$400 00
Appropriated 1921	300 00
From W D Hall	32 43
From R S Wardwell	10 01

\$742 44

EXPENDITURES.

Robert Conner,	\$17 50	Leslie Scammon,	7 26
Ray Howard,	17 50	R Conner,	7 25
Leslie Scammon,	17 50	H B Thombs,	6 88
H B Thombs,	28 75	R Sawyer,	7 00
L C Perkins,	17 50	P Colson,	7 26
F W Richardson,	17 50	J Sawyer,	7 00
Bernard Sawyer,	15 40	J Hatch,	7 00
John Sawyer,	22 75	H Grindle,	34 16
Pernel Colson,	17 50	R Howard,	7 26
Russell Sawyer,	22 75	C Clarke,	2 85
Geo McKinnon,	17 50	C M Conant,	22 50
Geo Richardson,	17 50	C Witham,	16 60
James Hatch,	28 00	J Hatch,	40 70
G T Coombs,	60	J Gardner,	5 00
W H Hooper,	206 58	W H Hooper,	1 49
Colby Gray,	40	W P Hooper,	50
L C Perkins,	5 70	J Norton,	4 25
G McKinnon,	7 24	T E Hale,	34 15
B Sawyer,	5 72	P Colson,	7 00
F W Richardson,	5 72	W H Bevan,	21 00
Geo Richardson,	5 72		

\$742 44

FIRE ALARM.

Appropriated	\$30 00
Balance unexpended	\$30 00

WATER STREET RESURFACE.

Appropriated			\$500 00
	EXPENDITURES.		
Frank Moore,	\$31 50	James Hatch,	22 75
James Norton,.	12 25	C F Clarke,	39 45
Robt Conner,	22 98	Geo M Perkins,	13 00
Russell Sawyer,	17 82	Alva Clement,	21 22
Geo Bowden,	15 54	Alva Clement,	2 64
W H Hooper,	11 12	W H Bevan,	42 00
Henry Grindle,	34 14	T E Hale,	37 60
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			\$324 01
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Balance unexpended			\$175 99
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HIGHWAY PATROL.

Augusta, Feb. 1922.

Town of Castine:

..Statement of the expenditure for patrol maintenance in the year 1921. Estimated number of miles under patrol maintenance, 9.30. Patrol joint fund, \$699. Expended as follows:

Patrolman's wages	\$954 56
Cost of material	60 50
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\$1,015 06	

The following work was done:

Cutting bushes	\$ 14 08
Dragging	214 48
Raking rocks	151 14
Cleaning ditches and culverts ...	35 84
Surfacing, gravel	510 56
Shoulder work	88 96
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Expenditure on patrolled road	\$1,015 06
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State's expenditure on patrol, road machine work, gravel surfacing, and supervision, \$771.36.

Town's expenditure on patrol and road machine work, \$449.

WILLIAM M. AYER,
FRANK A. PEABODY,
LYMAN H. NELSON,
State Highway Commission.

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 17 78
Appropriated	3,100 00
Tapley tuition	100 00
From State	500 00
Hawes tuition	10 00
Farnham tuition	10 00
Conley tuition	4 17
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	\$3,741 95
Paid superintendent's orders	3,708 81
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Balance	\$33 14
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COMMON SCHOOLS.

RECEIPTS.

Raised for overdraft	\$203 26
Appropriated	1,500 00
Trustees school fund	50 00
School and mill fund	586 76
Common school fund	1,002 53
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	\$3,342 55

EXPENDITURES.

Paid overdraft	\$203 26
Paid superintendent's orders	3,099 72
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	\$3,302 98
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Balance to new account	\$39 57
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FREE TEXT-BOOKS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 17 29
Appropriated	200 00
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	\$217 29
Paid superintendent's orders	198 05
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Balance to new account	\$19 24
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INSURANCE, APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 25 07
Appropriated	450 00
D W Rollins, supplies	9 90
Ethel Hutchins, supplies	1 92
N F Bridges, supplies	1 25
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	\$488 14
Paid superintendent's orders	462 94
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Balance to new account	\$25 20
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SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

Balance from 1920-21	\$ 2 41
Appropriated	875 00
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	\$877 41
Paid superintendent's orders	980 39
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Overdrawn	\$102 98
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AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the accounts of the selectmen and tax collector for the town of Castine, year 1921, and find them correct.

CHARLES E. McCLUSKEY, Auditor.

Castine, March 4, 1922.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

	Available	Pd Out	Bal.	Overdr..
Poor	\$1010 11	\$775 18	\$234 93	
Current expense	1935 43	1929 51	5 92	
Note account:				
Interest	222 77	245 02		22 25
Principal	3516 14	3516 14		
Memorial day	75 00	75 00		
Hydrant rental	900 00	900 00		
Soldiers' memorial	250 00		250 00	
Brophy drain	200 00		200 00	
School physician	30 00	30 00		
Hospital fund	250 00	249 00	1 00	
Witherle library:				
Maintenance	507 98	484 82	23 16	
Increase	126 65	126 65		
Emerson hall	1300 50	1095 21	205 29	
Fire department	193 81	278 76		84 95
Canning club	21 40	20 00	1 40	
Historical maintenance	90 00	54 03	35 97	
Public grounds	537 56	266 07	271 49	
Highw's, bridges, drains	2249 54	2225 57	23 97	
Road patrol	477 90	451 90	26 00	
Street lights	800 00	800 00		
Emerson school fence	20 00		20 00	
Cement walks			26 28	
Sidewalk repairs	320 04	314 17	5 87	
Grading Lower Main st	300 00	283 11	16 89	
Snow account	291 84	145 63	146 21	
State-aid road	1241 70	1226 97	14 73	
Hall & Wardwell sewer	742 44	742 44		
Water St resurface	500 00	324 01	175 99	
Fire alarm	30 00		30 00	
High school	3741 95	3708 81	33 14	
Common schools	3342 55	3302 98	39 57	
Supplies	488 14	462 94	25 20	
Books	217 29	198 05	19 24	
Schoolhouse repairs	877 41	980 39		102 98

Due from State, pauper account, \$466.65.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

We submit our annual written report, in addition to the various accounts. Taxes were abated to amount of \$42.06. Twenty-four accounts show balances aggregating \$1,832.23; and three accounts are slightly overdrawn—namely, interest, \$22.25; fire department, \$84.95; and schoolhouse repairs, 102.98, totalling \$210.18. We recommend that this sum of \$210.18 be raised for deficiencies.

We recommend \$1,000 to be raised for current expense, which, in addition to the regular charges, will have to take care of the expense of destroying the brown-tail moths. We recommend \$600 for support of poor, the same amount as raised this year; \$200 must be raised to pay cement walk note due May 15, 1922; \$300 must be raised to pay the loan of that amount, with which lower Main street was graded, as per vote of town at special town meeting; \$500 must be raised to repay Hawes Fund loan, under its conditions.

The library trustees recommend \$425 for library maintenance, and 35 cents per poll for library increase, the same as raised this year. For Memorial day we recommend the usual sum of \$75.

Emerson hall shows a balance of \$205.29. Half of this balance should be reserved for repairs to the inside walls. The current expenses of the hall, (heat, light, water, janitor, and federal tax) amount to about \$425. We can reasonably expect to receive \$250 from rentals. This year it was much more than that sum, but the hall has been let more than usual. We recommend that \$500 be raised for Emerson hall, which is \$300 less than last year, and believe that with an appropriation of \$500 the town can fix the inside walls properly, complete the shingling of the north

roof, and properly carry on the hall for the use and enjoyment of the citizens. If basketball is to be continued in the hall (and we believe that it is the desire of the town that it should be) the walls ought to be sheathed up as far as the ceiling. This would improve the hall's appearance, and it is quite probable that arrangements could be made with the various organizations now using the hall for basketball to share a proportionate part of the expense of sheathing the hall. There is no question but that wooden walls are preferable to plaster in any hall used for athletic games.

For hydrant rental, the sum of \$900 must be raised, and \$800 for street lighting. The question of fire protection we shall not discuss. It is of course obvious that the town needs the most adequate fire protection that it can have, taking into consideration the ever-present question of expense. The fire chief reports that more hose is needed, on which he has been quoted a price of 58 cents per foot, on 2½ inch, single jacket, cotton, rubber lined; in 50 foot lengths, delivered at Castine; warranted for three years, and to withstand a pressure of 300 pounds. The least amount to be appropriated would be \$150.

The committee on public grounds have made a recommendation in that department. For sidewalk repairs we recommend \$75. For road patrol, we recommend \$450. For State-aid, we suggest the usual sum of \$533. There is a balance of \$175.09 in Water St. resurface. We recommend that this balance, not needed in that section this year, be transferred to an account called Wadsworth street resurface, from the fort to the back shore, and that the sum of \$250 be raised and added to such account, making \$425 available for such resurfacing. The road from the Marsh bridge to the back shore should be resurfaced, which can be done from the highway account. The Morey road, or La Tour street, in the south end, (best

known by its old name) needs special work done upon it. For highways, we recommend the sum of \$2,000, as this year. We wish to commend Mr. Perkins and Mr. Clement for their good work of the year. The following permanent work was done: Installation of twelve-inch tile culvert across Wadsworth street near George Bowden's; 10-inch tile culvert near lighthouse; 10-inch tile culvert across Court street, near George McKinnon's; 12-inch metal culvert across Battle avenue near dormitory; 12-inch metal culvert at driveway to dormitory on Pleasant street, in which the town and State shared expense; 12-inch metal culvert corner Perkins and Battle avenue; 8-inch tile near brickyard; 12-inch metal culvert installed off neck, near Witham property; new top on reservoir near Episcopal chapel. The cost of this, and other permanent work which will not have to be done over each year, including culverts, tile, pipe, cement, materials and labor, amounted to about \$600, or more than one-fourth of the total appropriation for highways.

We suggest that sums be raised for canning club, school physician, and Castine hospital; for removal of snow, \$150; for historical signs, \$25. For interest we recommend that \$100 be appropriated, as it will take at least that sum to care for the interest on our present obligations.

There is a balance of \$200 in the Brophy drain account. For that amount of money we could not take care of the difficulty in that vicinity in a way satisfactory to the property owners. At least \$200 would have to be added to the amount now available to construct a larger drain to the shore than now is there. The school committee and superintendent have made the recommendations for their department in another section of the report.

While the town's fixed overhead charges are now large, we believe that it will be possible to reduce the

present tax rate for the coming year and still do a large amount of work.

The annual town meeting will be held at Emerson hall, on the third Monday of March (March 20) A. D. 1922, at nine o'clock a. m.

The selectmen hereby give notice that they will be at their office on Saturday, March 18, from 1 to 5 p. m., to revise the list of voters, and transact any other business that may be necessary. We wish to thank all town officers and citizens for their co-operation and help in the transaction of the town's business during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. PATTERSON,

J. WALTER WEEKS,

JAMES HATCH,

Selectmen of Castine.

LIST OF TAX-PAYERS.

	Real Estate	Personal Estate	Total Tax
Abbinette, Mrs A G .....	.....	\$100	\$ 3 60
Adams, Alfred, heirs	\$2000	100	75 60
Armstrong, Elmer	10	.....	3 36
Babcock, H S	2700	450	116 40
Appleton, Mabel F .....	.....	700	25 20
Appleton, Mabel, Knudson, Grace..	2725	150	103 50
Bartram, Walter B	1750	.....	66 00
Benjamin, Geo A	1820	900	100 92
Brazier, Everett H .....	.....	350	15 60
Bakeman, Leon .....	.....	.....	3 00
Bevan, Chas A .....	.....	.....	3 00
Warren .....	.....	.....	3 00
Mrs C A	400	.....	14 40
William H	600	215	32 34
Blake, Daniel	430	35	16 74
Mrs William G	1900	100	72 00
William .....	.....	250	12 00
Bowden, Austin R	1200	170	52 32
J Wesley .....	.....	370	16 32
Edward C .....	.....	185	9 66
Frank H .....	.....	.....	3 00
Horace .....	.....	.....	3 00
Harry .....	.....	.....	3 00
George	275	.....	12 90
Joseph E	400	555	37 38
Maria A	550	.....	19 80
Butler, Frederick H	325	.....	14 70
Harry .....	.....	.....	3 00
Bartlett, Boyd ....	.....	.....	3 00
Mrs Louise W	1200	.....	43 20
Brophy, Miss Ellen	2100	100	79 20
Brown, Walter C .....	.....	.....	3 00
Edward .....	.....	.....	3 00
Roland B, heirs	4925	300	188 10
Bowden Bros, J W and Edward C.	2000	.....	72 00
Bridgham, Edward L .....	.....	.....	3 00
Mrs E L	820	.....	29 52
Castine Acadia Aqueduct Co	400	.....	14 40
Castine Amusement Co .....	.....	1200	43 20
Castine Bay Co, (5000 exempt) ...	3550	150	133 20

Castine Trust Co	800	.....	28 80
Castine Golf Club	4200	.....	151 20
Chester, Charles L .....	.....	1200	46 20
Coombs, Alice	25	.....	90
Castine Water Co	11400	.....	410 40
Castine Coal Co	1300	1800	111 60
Cate, Jane, heirs	1200	.....	43 20
Carpenter, Lillian S	4200	700	176 40
Clark, William	1600	150	66 00
Alfred W	11075	2575	494 40
Charles F	2185	.....	81 66
Clement, Alva	350	35	16 86
Clergue, Bertrand J	5850	300	224 40
Mrs B J	850	.....	30 60
Collins, Mrs Fannie	440	.....	15 84
Colson, George F	700	.....	28 20
Levi	165	25	9 84
Pernel .....	.....	.....	3 00
Connor, Arthur .....	.....	.....	3 00
Robert A .....	.....	.....	3 00
Nora	250	.....	9 00
Irvin L	320	245	23 34
Coombs, Augustus C	900	50	37 20
Fred .....	.....	.....	3 00
Frank J	925	.....	36 30
Geo F .....	.....	500	21 00
Leighton .....	.....	.....	3 00
Ned W	440	.....	18 84
Mary, heirs	300	.....	10 80
Connor, Mrs Annie	2200	100	82 80
Fred .....	.....	25	3 90
Conley, Miss Susan	1000	.....	36 00
Cox, Mrs Sarah	365	.....	13 14
Crawford, Miss Ida	1250	.....	45 00
Crosgrove, Robt, heirs	1200	.....	43 20
Cunningham, Edward, heirs	770	.....	27 72
Coombs, Harvey .....	.....	75	2 70
Devereux, Ferdinand .....	.....	.....	3 00
Dennett, Jacob .....	.....	.....	3 00
Dennett, Joseph .....	.....	300	13 80
Millard	700	200	35 40
John, heirs	2085	1000	111 06
Davenport, George, heirs	1650	.....	59 40
Danforth, Pearl	2000	935	108 66

Clarence .....	.....	.....	3 00
Devereux, Charles	1300	.....	49 80
Arthur M .....	.....	100	6 60
George heirs	400	35	15 66
Douglass, Frank A	1100	70	45 12
Malcolm .....	.....	.....	3 00
Douty, John E	545	185	29 28
Dunton, Fred L .....	.....	.....	3 00
Dresser, J W, heirs	600	.....	21 60
Dunbar, Isaac .....	.....	25	3 90
Dunbar, Duncan	1300	610	71 76
Samuel, heirs	1200	70	45 72
Eastern Bay Steamboat Co .....	.....	1000	36 00
Faye, George W	1000	.....	39 00
Farley, Walter .....	.....	.....	3 00
Gardner, J C M .....	.....	25	3 90
Jotham, heirs	525	.....	18 90
Henry J .....	.....	.....	3 00
Isabelle, heirs	800	.....	28 80
Stella	800	50	30 60
Henry, 2d .....	.....	.....	3 00
Gott, Ormand .....	.....	.....	3 00
Mrs C A	1200	50	45 00
Gardner, John, heirs	1700	200	68 40
Grange, P of H, No 250	300	100	14 40
Gray, Clarence .....	.....	25	3 90
Ernest H	1100	366	55 78
James, heirs	300	.....	10 80
John E	1725	.....	65 10
Isaac	350	.....	15 60
William .....	.....	.....	3 00
Rodney	375	.....	16 50
Colby	565	240	31 98
Grindle, Sumner .....	.....	.....	3 00
Bert .....	.....	.....	3 00
Frank H .....	.....	.....	3 00
Garnsey, Frank, exempt			
Grindle, Norman	600	.....	24 60
Gillanders, James		500	21 00
Henry H	1550	420	73 92
Gross, John R .....	.....	100	6 60
Gross, Mrs Ethel N	450	.....	16 20
Hackett, Joseph, exempt			
Hackett, Porter .....	.....	.....	3 00

Hale, Thomas E	2400	295	100 02
Hall, William D	550	....	22 80
Harmon, Michael J .....	....	....	3 00
Calvert .....	....	....	3 00
Hanson, Devereux .....	....	450	19 20
Hatch, Edward .....	....	....	3 00
Silas .....	....	....	3 00
Mrs Otis, heirs	715	....	25 74
James	850	235	42 06
Hulbert, Mrs John	1000	....	36 00
Hooke, William F .....	....	200	10 20
Mrs H B	1700	....	61 20
Hooke, Lucy, heirs	2530	100	94 68
Mary, heirs	1375	....	49 50
Hooper, Abbie, heirs	1800	....	64 80
Miss Gertrude	1600	100	61 20
Hooper, Warren P	3300	435	137 46
Merton	1200	6450	278 40
Noah B	250	100	15 60
William H	7000	3410	377 76
Howard, George, exempt			
Howard, Ray	400	....	17 40
Hutchins, Peter F .....	....	....	3 00
Hutchins, Isabelle	250	....	9 00
Jordan, Walter .....	....	....	3 00
Jones, C Fred	1350	515	70 14
Keener, Mrs W A	3890	1000	176 04
Laskey, Frances J, heirs	425	....	15 30
Ladd, Arthur	350	175	21 90
Lowell, Howard .....	....	250	12 00
Leach, Henry	600	....	24 60
Leach, Fred .....	....	100	6 60
Gilbert S .....	....	100	6 60
Everett E ....	....	15	3 54
Max .....	....	400	17 40
Horace	375	300	27 30
Lewis, Frank E	2800	150	109 20
Littlefield, Dexter .....	....	....	3 00
Leon .....	....	....	3 00
Stephen .....	....	....	3 00
Fannie, heirs	500	....	18 00
Majabagaduce Farm	6375	2900	333 90
Knudson, Mrs Grace .....	....	300	10 80
Macomber, Harry .....	....	200	10 20

Mrs Mary	300	.....	10	80
Marion, Jacob .....	.....	.....	3	00
Martyn, Mrs Elizabeth	300	.....	10	80
Charles .....	.....	.....	3	00
Fred .....	.....	.....	3	00
McIntyre, Guarddie F	1075	.....	41	70
McCluskey, Charles E	4000	1870	214	32
Masonic lodge, Hancock No 4	1250	100	48	60
McKinnon, George	450	35	20	46
McLaughlin, John, heirs	500	.....	18	00
Morey, Admah .....	.....	250	12	00
Arthur G .....	.....	.....	3	00
Mrs A G	500	.....	18	00
Sylvester, heirs	170	25	7	02
William H	430	25	19	38
Morgrage, Bradley	1300	555	69	78
Mayo, Harvey .....	.....	.....	3	00
William I	2000	45	76	62
Long, Elizabeth R	1025	.....	36	90
Morgrage, Frank C	825	.....	32	70
Kelley, Thomas P .....	.....	.....	3	00
Mueller, John M .....	.....	100	6	60
Morgrage, Mrs Frank C	435	.....	15	66
Richard J .....	.....	.....	3	00
Nellie	50	.....	1	80
Morey, Geo E	500	25	18	90
Norton, James	500	250	30	00
Ralph .....	.....	.....	3	00
Chas W	2140	.....	80	04
Ethel S and Grace D	900	750	59	40
Nelson P, heirs	1900	100	72	00
Ordway, Edwin J, exempt				
Connor, Mrs Ada	110	.....	3	96
Ordway, Wilbert E	25	385	17	76
Olsen, Oscar	300	50	15	60
Parker, Bert P	1100	100	46	20
Mrs J H	2000	.....	72	00
Otis H .....	.....	.....	3	00
Parker, Rufus O, heirs	1800	.....	64	80
Parker & Wescott	1320	1375	97	02
Patterson, Arthur W .....	.....	225	11	10
Charles, exempt				
William J	1700	.....	64	20
Payson, Will S	2400	600	111	00

Perkins, Miss Aggie	500	....	18 00
B Frank, heirs	1400	....	50 40
Mrs Amos	200	....	7 20
Carl V	1300	945	83 82
Charles H	400	25	18 30
Perkins, Chas R	800	....	31 80
Perkins, Elisha S, exempt			
Francis R .....	....	....	3 00
Frederick A .....	....	70	5 52
Mrs F A	770	100	31 32
Fred C	400	95	20 82
Geo M	740	310	40 80
Harold .....	....	....	3 00
James Y .....	....	....	3 00
Miss Josephine	500	....	18 00
Joel	500	....	21 00
Julius F, heirs	1025	....	36 90
Mial .....	....	100	6 60
Sewall	500	100	24 60
Lydia M, heirs	2600	150	99 00
Philbrook, Edward E	2000	100	78 60
Porter, Mary	10500	3600	507 60
Redman, Ephraim	1050	300	51 60
Rea, Mrs John F	2530	....	91 08
Richardson, Mary	800	....	28 80
Chas, sr .....	....	....	3 00
Chas, jr .....	....	....	3 00
Frank .....	....	....	3 00
George .....	....	....	3 00
Mrs Ellen	500	....	18 00
Ricker, Mrs. Ariadna A	700	....	25 20
Ricker, Florence M	2300	100	86 40
Ricker, Willis A	300	1275	59 70
Rollins, Deane W .....	....	450	19 20
Russell, Chas F	2300	4850	260 40
Sargent, William G	2970	142	115 03
William H, heirs	1860	1084	105 98
Sawyer, Charles L	800	180	38 28
John G, sr	270	....	9 72
John G, jr	400	300	28 20
Russell	195	....	10 02
Parker, Mabelle F .....	....	350	12 60
Shepherd, Mrs Hannah, heirs	1320	....	47 52
Scammon, Leslie B .....	....	....	3 00

Staples, Justus	550	.....	22 80
Lewis	250	25	12 90
Steele, William	1025	.....	39 90
Spurling, Edward .....	.....	335	15 06
Forrest .....	.....	.....	3 00
Robert .....	.....	250	12 00
Swanson, Augustus	400	.....	17 40
Smith, Robert .....	.....	.....	3 00
Sawyer, Bernard .....	.....	.....	3 00
Thayer, Charles .....	.....	.....	3 00
Thurston, John B	800	175	38 10
Hannah E	75	.....	2 70
Thombs, Arthur G .....	.....	50	4 80
Thombs, Eva M	1500	.....	54 00
Harry B .....	.....	250	12 00
Varnum, Ira	800	.....	31 80
Veague, Orville	1400	100	57 00
Veazie, Mrs Charles	650	105	27 18
Vogell, Alice M	150	.....	5 40
Thomas, Alberta S	4000	300	154 80
Vogell, John M	1025	330	51 78
Frederick W	900	50	37 20
Mrs F W .....	.....	750	27 00
Walker, William A	2200	1100	121 80
Wardwell, Carl H .....	.....	.....	3 00
Mary Marsh	450	.....	16 20
Charles	200	260	19 56
G L .....	.....	.....	3 00
Neil	100	.....	3 60
Harry .....	.....	.....	3 00
Ralph S	1700	1550	120 00
Mrs R S	550	.....	19 80
Robert, heirs	550	130	24 48
Roland B	55	115	9 12
Virgil B	100	35	7 86
Webster, Albert, exempt			
Webster, Emery H .....	.....	299	13 76
Chester	100	.....	6 60
Ernest P .....	.....	.....	3 00
Wardwell, Malcolm .....	.....	.....	3 00
Clarence .....	.....	50	4 80
Webster, Eugene	300	.....	13 80
Littleton	110	.....	6 96
Wardwell, Frank	200	.....	10 20

Weeks, Mrs G H	550	.....	19	80
J Walter	3800	100	143	40
Wescott, Mrs D W, heirs	1070	100	42	12
Percy M .....	.....	800	31	80
Herman .....	.....	.....	3	00
Mrs George	600	.....	21	60
Henry, heirs	1400	.....	50	40
Miss Josephine .....	.....	100	3	60
Jeremiah, heirs	850	.....	30	60
Webster, Ernest .....	.....	.....	3	00
Martha	600	.....	21	60
Paul	1535	185	64	92
Russell J	850	50	35	40
West, Edward B, exempt				
Wilson, Charles	875	305	45	48
Walter .....	.....	100	6	60
Witham, Charles .....	.....	.....	3	00
Mrs Charles	100	.....	3	60
Frank E	360	295	26	58
Grover C .....	.....	.....	3	00
Witherle, Amy C	4835	8100	465	66
Anna	660	2528	114	77
Jane, heirs	2310	3245	199	98
Wheeler, George A, exempt				
Whiting, John P .....	.....	2559	95	12
Willard, Miss Mary E	1200	435	58	86
Mrs M E	200	.....	7	20
Edward .....	.....	.....	3	00
Crie, Horatio .....	.....	200	10	20
Dodge, A K	1360	150	57	36
Echenagucia, Herman	500	.....	21	00
Stevens, William G	700	.....	28	20
Peterson, Harry	550	.....	22	80
Wood, Frank P, heirs	10260	850	399	96

NON-RESIDENT.

Acadian Hotel Co	10000	600	381	60
Ames, Mrs Sarah	8300	1995	370	62
Bagaduce Fisheries Co	150	.....	5	40
Baldwin, Florence	4100	100	151	20
Baker, Mrs Frank W	2800	.....	100	80
Mrs Mary	16300	1000	622	80
Bates, Mrs Charles F	2000	60	74	16
Beales, Henry, jr .....	.....	200	7	20

Billings, John	700	.....	25	20
Blodgett, Joseph	140	.....	5	04
Blake, Dorothy	4000	475	161	10
Brinley, Godfrey	1900	.....	68	40
Cash, Stephen W	300	.....	10	80
Branch, Effie	900	.....	32	40
Clement, Frank H	2550	600	113	40
Clark, Joseph T	300	.....	10	80
Catholic church (exempt)				
Collins, Willard, heirs	2100	.....	75	60
Cope, Mrs Alfred	2300	.....	82	80
Cunningham, H C, heirs	3500	100	129	60
Domansky, E H, heirs	100	.....	3	60
Davies, Mrs Caroline, heirs	675	.....	24	30
Day, Mrs M	100	.....	3	60
Eustis, Miss E M	18000	1300	694	80
Folsom, Mrs A H	1600	100	61	20
Gay, Robert	1700	.....	61	20
Gray, Leslie C	500	.....	18	00
Grace, F J S	2000	.....	72	00
Goodwin, James, heirs	3000	.....	108	00
Gilbert, Mrs B S	350	.....	12	60
Gray, Sherman	30	.....	1	08
Grindle, M W	140	.....	5	04
Haines, Mrs Mary K	11600	550	437	40
Harris, Mrs E K	9000	1350	372	60
Hatch, Frank C	5150	620	207	72
Hatch, Mary K	2300	.....	82	80
Heston, Mrs Herbert	400	.....	14	40
Hay, Anna F	4200	1000	187	20
Hosmer, Miss Marion	900	.....	32	40
Hooper, John L	100	.....	3	60
Hubbard, L V	2400	.....	86	40
Johnson, Daniel	2000	.....	72	00
Little, Mrs Caroline F, heirs.....	2600	100	97	20
Lennard, Geo B, heirs	700	.....	25	20
Kenniston, Florence M	4800	150	178	20
Mikell, William E	1000	.....	36	00
Morey, Edward	450	.....	16	20
Morey, Charles E	10125	500	382	50
Mayo, A H .....	.....	500	18	00
Monroe, James .....	.....	25		90
North, R H	4000	600	165	60
Parmly, Mrs Nina	1125	.....	40	50

Patterson, Geo W	2800	.....	100	80
Penobscot Bay Electric Co	5000	.....	180	00
Perkins, Mary H	75	.....	2	70
Perkins, Mary W	75	.....	2	70
Pierce, Walter C	1400	.....	50	40
Pol, Bernhard	1700	200	68	40
Randall, Charles E	1200	.....	43	20
Reuter, F T, heirs	1200	.....	43	20
Robson, M	1300	.....	46	80
Schenk, Miss C C	1200	.....	43	20
Law, William	150	.....	5	40
Shelton, F H	1200	.....	43	20
Salsbury, B T	750	.....	27	00
Smith, Mrs F L	2000	50	73	80
Smith, Frederick L	800	.....	28	80
Smith, F, and Bartlett, Boyd	400	.....	14	40
Stoner, Elsie N	50	.....	1	80
Stoner, Burton B	175	.....	6	30
Talbot, Elizabeth	400	.....	14	40
Tilden, George E	500	.....	18	00
Thayer, Annie D	2000	.....	72	00
Turner, Harlan B	100	.....	3	60
Twining, Mrs H B	500	.....	18	00
Trymbull, Miss Annie	900	.....	32	40
Veazie, John	3050	.....	109	80
Volkman, A L K	4000	200	151	20
Wallace, Thomas, 3d	2000	300	82	80
Walker, E P, heirs	300	.....	10	80
Wilson, Mrs C G	5000	600	201	60
Waterman, Lucy	165	.....	5	94
Whitney, Samuel	2850	3825	243	30
Woolley, C M	14900	2050	610	20

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Stoner, Burton B .....	.....	150	5	40
McIntire, Guarddie F .....	.....	100	3	60
Cope, Mrs Alfred .....	.....	100	3	60
Staples, Dwight .....	.....	.....	3	00
Connor, Rochelle .....	.....	.....	3	00
Coombs, Leighton .....	.....	100	3	60
Dodge, A K .....	.....	50	1	80
Littlefield, Leon .....	.....	100	3	60

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC GROUNDS.

In accordance with the vote of the town, the committee on public grounds repaired the reservoirs on the common. The upper reservoir has a concrete top, while the lower one is covered with cedar poles, as in former years.

To provide an easy passage for automobiles, the entrance at the cemetery was widened by changing the location of the stone posts. This change was made at comparatively slight expense, trusting that before many years the town will be able to have a more imposing entrance. It was unnecessary to survey the old portion of cemetery, but the new part has been carefully done by an able engineer, who, in addition to his work, has given valuable suggestions for future improvements.

An early fall of snow prevented the completion of the survey, but the markers will be placed in the spring. For the same reason, the moss has not been removed from the stones on lots having perpetual care, but valuable work on the trees has been done this winter. We recommend that the town buy a few feet of land on two sides of the cemetery, thereby gaining two rows of lots and a new road; also, that hardwood trees be set out on the borders of cemetery; that the hearse-house be repaired, and that \$250 be appropriated to carry out these improvements.

To obtain the best results on public grounds, we suggest that a committee of three be appointed by the selectmen, on the same basis as the library trustees (i. e., one for three years; one for two years; and one for one year, with a new member appointed each year) and that this committee be given full power to carry on the work on public grounds, subject to the approval of the selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH S. HOOKE,
P. DANFORTH.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES
WITHERLE MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

To the Citizens of Castine :

Your trustees note with satisfaction the patronage of our people, the use of 6,400 books during the past year being evidence, we think, that our library fills a large place in the life of our town.

With the co-operation of the woman's club, we are opening the library on Monday evenings in addition to the established hours. The woman's club has also donated, during the year, magazines as follows: National Geographic, Harper's Outlook, Collier's, Popular Mechanics, Youth's Companion, Boy Life. Capt. Frank Garnsey contributed the Saturday Evening Post.

Books given the library: Mrs. E. K. Harris, "The Catholic Encyclopedia;" Mrs. Ellen P. Johnson and Mrs. Tucker, eleven each; Mrs. Haines, Miss Amy Witherle, three each; Mrs. Frank Garnsey, Mrs. W. A. Walker, Mrs. Cunningham, and the Neighborhood club, one each.

We have repaired the roof, chimney and window casings, painted the outside trimmings, also the ceilings and a portion of the interior walls, and renewed the plumbing.

Received from summer readers, \$15; from fines, \$17, which sums appear in our special account.

We recommend for increase a sum equal to 35 cents on a poll, and for maintenance, \$425, these amounts being the same as last year.

SPECIAL ACCOUNT.

DEBIT

March 1, 1921, cash on hand	\$39 16
Feb 27, 1922, cash from summer visitors.....	15 00
Feb 27, 1922, cash from fines	17 00
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	\$71 16

CREDIT

Errand to Belfast	\$ 25	
Telephone	10	
Gaylord Bros	2 25	
American Library Ass'n	2 00	
To library increase	3 15	
Cash on hand	63 41	
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		\$71 16
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Respectfully submitted,

Edward E. Philbrook,
Wm. A. Walker,
Lillian C. Sargent,
Amy C. Witherle,
Arthur W. Patterson.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Castine, Maine, Feb. 27, 1922.

To the Citizens of Castine :

We, the members of the Castine superintending school committee, respectfully offer for your consideration the report of the superintendent of schools, with our approval as submitted.

We, as a committee, with the superintendent, have carefully considered the needs of our schools for the ensuing school year. We hereby offer our recommendations, as printed in the superintendent's report, for the consideration of the citizens of the town. These recommendations are for the necessary school expenses. We believe that they are sound.

We believe that the schools, as a whole, have not only maintained a high standard, but that they have materially improved during the present school year. Special mention should be made of the excellent condition of the high school, due not only to the efficiency of the individual members of the faculty, but also to the fine co-operative spirit that exists throughout the school among and between the faculty and the students alike.

We hereby express our hearty appreciation of the efficient services of Supt. D. W. Rollins, who has shown marked ability as an educator and as an administrator of finances.

Respectfully submitted,

Boyd Bartlett,
William D. Hall,
Everett E. Leach,
Superintending School Committee.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Superintending School Committee:

I herewith respectfully submit to you my fourth annual report as superintendent of schools for the town of Castine.

Like the three preceding years during which I have held this office in Castine, the past year has been entirely without unpleasant experiences or destructive controversies. I have at all times felt the confidence which can only be inspired by sincere and progressive town officials and a friendly community. Under such circumstances, work is a pleasure.

Of necessity, there has been little or no radical change in the procedure of any of the schools since the last report. The work has gone on in all departments with smoothness and efficiency. I am convinced, also, that we make progress from year to year in many particulars, and come a little nearer to accomplishing the things we would like to do for and with the pupils.

The employment of a school physician is a tangible step forward, and is a very important help in many large and small emergencies which frequently confront those in charge. The responsibilities of the school along lines of health are many, and the cooperation of a physician empowered to act is necessary in order to fully discharge these duties. Dr. H. S. Babcock was appointed by the committee to act in this capacity, and has shown much public spirit by the manner in which he has assisted us. The plan for the year includes the usual examination of sight and hearing of all pupils, and, in addition, the examination of condition of teeth, throats, etc., which are the most common and most often unsuspected starting points of ill health among children. A large part of this

work has been done already, and the remainder will be done before the close of the school year. The plan also calls for reports to the home in all cases where needed. In case of suspected danger of epidemic, the immediate advice of a school physician would be invaluable.

It is the good fortune of the pupils of the grammar school and Steele school to be under charge of Mrs. Harquail and Miss Osgood, as last year. Further comment is unnecessary in either case. The Steele school continues to be a part of the E. S. N. S. training school system, and the members of the graduating class of the normal school have each one week of observation and practice teaching here. Our only further contribution toward making the Steele building meet requirements this year has been the new windows.. The addition of five large windows in one side of the room admits the required amount of light from the rear of the pupils' seats. This also makes the room much more cheerful in appearance.

The Emerson school has had several teachers in the past twelve month. Mrs. Lida J. Green taught during the spring term, Mrs. C. S. Chester during the fall term, and Mrs. Jennie H. Wilbur since late fall. Several interruptions which could not be foreseen fell to the lot of this school, through sickness of teachers. In several of these cases the kindness of Miss Annie Dunbar in acting as substitute teacher was a great help. All of these teachers were well equipped by training and experience, but the continuous service of one teacher is always much more beneficial to a school. Mrs. Wilbur has made an excellent beginning in this school, and it is hoped may continue here for some time. She is a graduate of the Castine normal school, and has previously taught a year at Rangeley.

During the past summer one of our vacation residents, Miss Sarah Cunningham, did some work at this school which was much appreciated. This was some-

what along the lines taken up the previous year by Miss Jackson and Miss Higgins. At the end of the summer, an out-door pageant was given before a considerable number of spectators. This pageant netted a sum sufficient to purchase a victrola and a selection of records for the use of the school.

Since the summer of 1920, we have not had visits from a Red Cross public health nurse, but will be very glad if their work can be taken up again soon in this part of the county.

The transportation of pupils outside of the village to the village grade schools has given excellent satisfaction during the year. The conveyances furnished have nearly always been safe and comfortable, and the service, with a few exceptions, prompt and on time.

The Castine woman's club has again brought pleasure and profit to the children by setting aside \$5 for each school for the purchase of books for the school libraries.

In the Steele school, the noon lunch idea, physical exercises and drills, health instruction, and organized play have again been special features. In the grammar school, with the exception of the noon lunch, which is not needed or practical, these features have been made a part of the work. The play-room is a great addition and convenience in this school. One advantage which the pupils of the training school receive is the use of the manual training and domestic arts departments at the normal school. This work does not extend to the other schools.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The necessity of supplying an entirely new staff of teachers for the high school during the summer vacation was a trying and unusual situation. The emergency was met and overcome, however. For principal of the school, selection was made from a consid-

erable number of candidates. Mr. Crosby E. Redman of Corinna, Maine, was the man chosen. He is a graduate of Bangor high school and of Bowdoin college. For sub-master and instructor in Latin, English and history, Mr. Donald E. Sprague of Boothbay Harbor was secured. Mr. Sprague is a graduate of Hebron academy and has studied one year each in Colby college and Boston university. Miss Neva A. Rowe of Springvale, Maine, a graduate of Sanford high and of Nasson institute, was engaged as teacher of the commercial subjects.

Believing that praise should be given where praise is earned, I wish to say that I am pleased with this high school, both faculty and student body. As a result of the gradual but sure process, I believe that a more sincere and substantial quality of school work is being done than at any time since I have been here. This is what the money is raised and expended for, and the great majority of the students have responded to the call with a good will. All of those who are doing so will have gained something substantial that they can use after they have graduated. It is not exaggeration to say that the atmosphere, spirit and conduct of the whole school is such as to make a visit a pleasure.

The teachers have worked in harmony and have taken a position of leadership in every activity of the school. In particular, Mr. Redman has taken charge of the school paper and play, and Mr. Sprague and Miss Rowe of the girls' and boys' basketball teams. Mr. Sprague is a good coach and referee, and both teams have had a successful season, with their full share of winning scores. No team has taken out of town trips without being accompanied by one or more of the teachers. This is as it should be, and worth a great deal.

Miss Rowe has taken over the work of conducting the weekly music period, and is getting good results.

She has also introduced special work in penmanship, taking the whole school as a single class for this.

Of the class of six graduated last June, two have entered the normal school, one has entered Nason institute, one Gilman's business school, and one is teaching.

BUILDINGS AND REPAIRS.

An unusually large amount of necessary work has been done on the buildings during the year. The principal jobs were talked of in the last town meeting, and were as follows:

At the grammar school the foundation wall under the front end of the building was taken down and re-laid in cement in a very solid manner. The soil pipes and other plumbing, broken by the wall, were thoroughly renewed and built over on a simpler plan. One new closet and tank, and a new drinking fountain installed in place of one which was past repair. The furnace also had to have much work; new pipe, etc.

In the high school building the work done was much less, consisting of small repairs in various parts of the building and its equipment.

At the Steele school, a new row of large windows was installed, in order to give the amount and direction of light required by the State regulations. Some other small repairs were also made there.

At the Emerson school, a new addition was built on, according to plans approved by the State superintendent. This was expensive, but was badly needed and had been planned for during several years past. The sanitary arrangements here are now entirely satisfactory, and of course meet the new building law's demands. The wood-shed was also repaired, roof patched, etc. The inside of the school-room also had some small changes and repairs made, windows put in good shape, and the roof of the entrance newly shingled.

Many other small bills of a routine nature were paid from this fund, as in all other years.

For next year, the Steele building needs to be painted badly. It must also have the south side of the roof shingled, as it is leaking, and past patching. The old windows which were in the building need a thorough overhauling, with putty and paint for the sashes.

The Emerson building needs outside paint particularly.

The high school building begins to show its need of paint from a distance, and should have some painting done in the entrances and toilets, as the paint is nearly worn off by use and repeated cleaning.

I should have mentioned that the Steele building needs a new heater, or else circulating jacket and ventilator installed with the present stove.

Probably not all of the painting mentioned above will be done in one year, and it is certain that some jobs not now foreseen will come to light and have to be attended to in order to keep up the property. The voters will have opportunity to provide for as much or as little as seems to them best.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The committee and superintendent have considered in meetings the needs that can be foreseen for the coming twelve months. The points we wish to provide for first are the retention of valuable teachers, or ability to secure suitable persons to fill vacancies. Next, to provide materials necessary for good school work, and also to keep the buildings and all property belonging to the town in proper condition.

One feature to be reckoned with is the operation of the new law for distribution of State school money. This law goes into effect on July 1, 1922, and distributes money to towns principally on the basis of number of teaching positions, school census, and aggregate attendance of pupils in school. Under it, as

near as can be estimated, Castine will receive less than in past years. The drop from last year will be \$367.

Other towns in Union No. 93 are affected as follows: Islesboro loses \$808.80; Brooksville gains \$514; and Penobscot gains \$357.

Our conveyance bill will probably be slightly less, and perhaps fuel may cost a trifle less. Otherwise, it is hard to figure on much change in expense either way. We do, however, wish to be in position to retain as many of our teachers as possible. Frequent changes are a discouragement to all concerned.

We make the following recommendations:

Common schools,	\$1,967
High school,	3,250
Text-books,	200
Repairs,	850
Supplies, insurance and apparatus,	450

Again I take opportunity to thank the school committee, teachers, town officers, and all others for the many courtesies and favors received by me throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. ROLLINS,

Superintendent of Schools.

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	\$1,500 00
Interest on school fund	50 00
Raised to pay overdraw of 1921	203 26
From State, common school fund	1,002 53
From State, school and mill fund	586 76
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	\$3,342 55

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	\$1,607 13
Fuel	314 59
Janitors	219 50
Conveyance of scholars	633 50
To State, for model schools	325 00
Overdraw of 1921, paid	203 26
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	\$3,302 98
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Balance unexpended Feb 24, 1922	\$39 57
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DETAILED STATEMENT.

Salaries, common schools:

Edna C Harquail	\$614 46
H Marie Osgood	482 67
Marguerite Page	60 00
Thelma Read	9 00
Lida J Green	105 00
Annie Dunbar	30 00
Mrs C S Chester	90 00
Jennie H Wilbur	192 00
Myrtie V Allen, household arts expenses	24 00

Fuel, common schools:

Castine Coal Co	205 34
W H Hooper, wood	32 00
Henry Witham, housing wood ..	1 50
Horace Bowden, labor on wood.	3 50
Howard Webster, housing wood	1 50
Amy C Witherle, wood	7 75
George M Perkins, wood	21 00
Colby S Gray, wood	36 00
T E Hale, wood	6 00

Janitors:

Horace Bowden	185 00
Virgil Wardwell, jr	6 00
Lester Gray	10 00
Howard Webster	7 00
H Marie Osgood	11 50
Conveyance of scholars:	
Noah B Hooper	57 00
W H Hooper	576 50
To State, for model schools	325 00
Overdraw of 1921, paid	203 26

Total		<u>\$3,302 98</u>
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HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance forward from last year	\$ 17 78
Appropriation	3,100 00
From State of Maine	500 00
From Emery Tapley, tuition	100 00
From S H Hawes, tuition of Shirley Hawes	10 00
From Lewis G Farnham, tuition of Ethel Farnham	10 00
From Rev H W Conley, tuition of Harriet Conley	4 17

	<u>\$3,741 95</u>
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EXPENDITURES.

Salaries:

Everett H Brasier	\$604 12
Mae S Greenlaw	354 19
Thelma Dunifer	333 35
Marion Frost	2 36
Mrs J H Mueller, music	20 00
Crosby E Redman	845 83
Donald E Sprague	583 33
Neva A Rowe	495 81

Fuel:

Castine Coal Co	304 82
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Janitor:

Horace Bowden	165 00
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	<u>\$3,708 81</u>
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Balance unexpended Feb 20	<u>\$33 14</u>
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TEXT-BOOK FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance forward	\$ 17 29
Appropriation	200 00
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	\$217 29

EXPENDITURES.

Rand, McNally & Co	\$ 3 00
Silver, Burdett & Co	21 25
Ginn & Co	21 39
Isaac Pitman & Sons	3 47
Houghton, Mifflin Co	7 71
D C Heath & Co	26 61
C C Birchard & Co	10 60
Allyn & Bacon	20 71
American Book Co	76 75
Benj H Sanborn & Co	3 00
The Macmillan Co	1 92
Edward E Babb & Co	1 64
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Balance unexpended Feb 20

\$19 24

REPAIRS ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURES.

M Lynch & Co, keys	\$ 3 55
F A Douglas, labor on Emerson, Steele and gram	151 87
H B Thombs, labor and material	145 67
W H Clark, labor and material, H S and grammar	64 19
Noyes & Nutter, stove parts for Emerson school..	1 87
Horace Bowden, labor, cleaning, materials, pd for	37 90
Colby S Gray, labor	56
J H Norton, trucking ashes, gravel, cement, etc ..	7 30
John Sawyer, labor, gram school foundation	32 56
Russell Sawyer, do	25 38
Littleton Webster, do	25 25
W H Hooper, materials, gram school foundation..	31 10
Standard Chemical Closet Co, parts	2 00
Matthews Bros, lumber and material, Emerson...	86 70
M Lynch & Co, repairs	1 40
Mrs Colby S Gray, cleaning at Emerson, twice....	5 50

F C Morgrage, labor, etc, Steele and Emerson ..	137 95
Alvah D Clement, labor at Emerson school	26 25
W H Hooper, trucking and lumber, gram school ..	2 49
Geo T Coombs, nails, hardware, etc	23 59
N W Coombs, labor at H S. seats, windows, etc....	6 14
F C Morgrage, freight bills paid	2 94
W H Hooper, lumber for Steele and Emerson jobs	147 86
Mrs Daniel Blake, cleaning and oiling floor	6 50
Geo A Benjamin, materials, grammar school	3 87
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	\$980 39

RECEIPTS.

Balance forward	\$ 2 41
Appropriation	875 00

877 41

Overdrawn Feb 20, 1922	<hr/> \$102 98 <hr/>
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SUPPLIES, APPARATUS AND INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURES.

Central Maine Power Co, lights	\$28 28
Central Maine Power Co, repairs and materials..	7 41
Castine Water Co, water	60 00
L C Smith & Bros, exchange of typewriter	45 00
L C Smith & Bros, ribbon coupon book	6 00
Underwood Typewriter Co, exchange of typewriter	48 03
W H Hooper, freight and trucking	5 61
D W Rollins, express and trucking, etc, paid.....	10 06
Myrtie V Allen, domestic arts supplies	24 00
W A Ricker, rent high school piano	35 00
W A Ricker, tuning and repairs, gram sch piano..	3 00
Newell White, printing	9 00
L E Knott Apparatus Co, laboratory supplies	6 70
Chas P Tapley, making laboratory apparatus	3 75
Remington Typewriter Co, repairs on typewriter..	1 50
J M Vogell, express bills	4 68
W A Walker, chemicals	2 15
Horace Bowden, supplies paid for	2 63
Geo T Coombs, repairs on lights, supplies, etc....	2 99
R B Dunning & Co, one water cooler	4 75
Herbert L Palmer, paper	18 72
Dowling School Supply Co, paper	9 84

Educational Supply Co, H S diplomas	8 47
Milton Bradley Co, school supplies	27 93
Howard & Brown, grammar school diplomas	6 40
P M Wescott, repair work	2 30
J M Dennett, dry batteries	90
J L Hammett Co, school supplies	77 84
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	\$462 94

RECEIPTS.

Balance forward	\$ 25 07
Appropriation	450 00
Miss Dana, rent typewriter, and sup- plies bought	2 25
Vivian Witham, rent of typewriter	75
Mr Morrison, rent of typewriter ..	1 25
F H Shelton, rent typewriter, and supplies bought	2 50
Reuben Devereux, rent typewriter.	2 00
Miss Ethel B Hutchins, map bought	1 92
Mrs Nella F Bridges, pencil-sharp- ener bought	1 25
D W Rollins, supplies sold	1 15
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\$488 14

Balance unexpended Feb 20, 1922

\$25 20
